

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

LEONARD LICHT, ZHENGJUN CAI,  
HENRY CHEN, DANIEL CHANG,  
DOMINIC CHOW, CHENGGUO DONG,  
IHAB W. FRANCIS, JOHN GORDON,  
DALTON GREEN, MICHAEL GRILLI,  
IRAKLIS KARABASSIS, NADER  
LOBANDI, JAMES MOSKWA, ANH  
NGUYEN, BRIAN ROTHUS, GORDON  
SHAYLOR, RICHARD SLAVANT,  
NATHANIAL THRAILKILL, JACK YAO,  
and JUN ZHAI,

Plaintiffs,

v.

BINANCE HOLDINGS LIMITED, d/b/a  
BINANCE.COM, BAM TRADING  
SERVICES, INC., d/b/a BINANCE.US, and  
CHANGPENG ZHAO,

Defendants.

No. 1:24-cv-10447-NMG

**MOTION OF QUINN EMANUEL URQUHART & SULLIVAN, LLP  
TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL OF RECORD**

Pursuant to this court's Local Rule 83.5.2(c)(2), and upon the accompanying Declaration of Avi Perry, the firm of Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan, LLP ("Quinn Emanuel") hereby moves for an order relieving its undersigned attorneys as counsel of record for Defendant Changpeng Zhao. As set forth in Mr. Perry's Declaration, Mr. Zhao has breached the material terms of his engagement agreements with Quinn Emanuel, and he has created adversity by filing an arbitration against Quinn Emanuel. As a result, Quinn Emanuel has terminated its representation of Mr. Zhao and cannot continue to represent Mr. Zhao in this matter. Accordingly, Quinn Emanuel respectfully requests that Isaac Saidel-Goley, Christopher Kercher, Peter Fountain, Avi

Perry, Emily Kapur, Samuel Williamson, Ted Ovrom, and Zi Chun (Michelle) Wang be relieved as counsel of record for Defendant Changpeng Zhao.

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